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PART VI

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FOREST DEPARTMENT

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

SALE OF CHARCOAL.

Notification dated, 31st May 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information that a quantity of 2,747 mds. or 1,084 bags of Charcoal prepared by the Departmental Agency at the Bananthimari State Forest, Kankanhalli Range, will be sold by public auction at Kankanhalli, by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District or any other Officer, deputed by him, on 28th June 1933, subject to the conditions mentioned below :—

(1) The sale will commence at 2 P.M., precisely and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore as the case may be.

(2) Each bidder shall before he is permitted to bid be required to furnish an earnest deposit of Rs. 50 with the officer conducting the sale; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately after the close of the sale pay 25 per cent of the full sale amount less the deposit already paid, failing which, the right will be resold at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale which will be recoverable from him as arrears of Land Revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, but he shall not participate in any gain.

(3) Defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

(4) The charcoal will be sold for a lumpsum amount or at so much per maund delivery in situ.

(5) The contractor or purchaser should make his own arrangements for removal of the charcoal and the Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening of roads, etc.

(6) Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer, or such other officer conducting the sale to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

(7) Within a week from the date of intimation of confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted, pay the remaining 75 per cent of the purchase money and remove the charcoal immediately. If the charcoal is left unremoved after the payment of the full value, it will be at the place at purchaser's own risk.

(8) Each consignment of charcoal shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Forest Officer, Kankanhalli or any other Officer of the Department deputed by the District Forest Officer for the purpose.

(9) The purchaser shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of the fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(10) The contractor shall not sublet the contract to any body except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(11) For any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of the cancellation of the contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the Deposit and shall resell the right at the risk of the contractor.

Abstract Notification dated 5th June 1933.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that sealed tenders for collection and carting of rough Sandalwood from the Ranges to Koti and despatch of prepared wood from Koti to the Railway Station in the Bangalore District for 1933-34, published on pages 553-554, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 18th May 1933, will be received up to the 26th June 1933, as the date fixed, *i.e.*, 25th falls on Sunday.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 30th May 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information that a quantity of 20 tons of Hay collected and stacked in the Vokkaleri plantation will be sold by public auction on 16th June 1933, by the Range Forest Officer, Bowringpet Range, subject to the confirmation by the District Forest Officer, Kolar.

2. Each bidder should place a deposit of Rs. 5 with the Officer conducting the sale as also a solvency certificate.

3. The successful bidder shall immediately after the close of the sale, pay one-quarter of the same amount together with Local, Education and Railway cesses at one anna, six pies and three pies per rupee respectively on the entire sale amount. In default the deposit will be forfeited and the produce resold which will be at the risk of the original purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government, but shall have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses shall be recoverable as an arrear of Land Revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

4. The balance of three-fourths sale amount shall be remitted to the nearest Government Treasury within a week from the date of communication of the confirmation of sale failing which the sale will be cancelled and the produce resold at the risk of the original purchaser as detailed in para 3 above.

5. The purchaser shall furnish a list of men allowed to remove the hay and hold himself responsible for the breach of any of the Forest Rules and for the occurrence of any fire in the plantation due either to himself or his men which will be dealt with under the Provisions of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

6. The removal of hay will be permitted only between sunrise and sunset within a period of one week from the date of confirmation of the sale.

7. If the hay is not removed within the time allowed, the same will remain in the plantation at the risk of the purchaser.

8. In the event of breach of any of the conditions specified in the sale notice, the sale is liable to be cancelled and a penalty not exceeding Rs. 25 levied and recovered as an arrear of Land Revenue.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification, dated 1st June 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned kinds and quantities of timber will be sold by public auction at the following Depot by the District Forest Officer, Kolar or any other officer deputed by him on the date noted therein.

Sl. No.	Name of Depot	Date of sale	Kind of timber	Quantity	Remarks
1	Sabbanahalli ...	19th June 1933 ...	Junglewood poles ...	C.ft. 175	More or less

For conditions of the sale please see this office detailed notification dated the 27th April 1933.

S. VENKATAVARADIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

SALE OF THE RIGHT OF GRAZING OF CATTLE EXCEPT GOATS IN PLANTATIONS.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of grazing the cattle in the undermentioned Plantations of Tumkur District for one year up to the 15th April 1934 will be sold by the District Forest Officer, Tumkur District, or the Range Officer concerned at the places and on the dates mentioned hereunder, subject to the confirmation of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore. The Cattle will include only cows, bullocks, buffaloes and sheep but not goats :—

Range	Taluk	Name of Plantation	Area in acres	Approximate distance from the nearest Railway Station	Date and place of sale
Tumkur ...	Tumkur ...	1 Mallasandra ...	108·00	6 miles from Tumkur ...	
		2 Lingenahalli ...	350·00	8 do do ...	27th June 1933, District Forest Office, Tumkur.
		3 Ballapura ...	278·28	7 do do ...	
		4 Dasarahalli ...	444·00	7 do do ...	
		5 Gollahalli ...	73·00	6 do do ...	
		6 Gollahalli in Devarayadurga.	358·00	8 do do ...	1st July 1933, District Forest Office, Tumkur.
		7 Pandithanahalli ...	518·00	5 do do ...	
		8 Netagunte ...	180·00	2 do Gubbi ...	
		9 Channasettihalli ...	305·00	2 do do ...	28th June 1933, Traveller's Bungalow at Gubbi.
		10 Honnavalli ...	305·00	2 do do ...	
		11 Ammanaghatta ...	412·00	3 do do ...	
		12 Adagur ...	220·00	5 do do ...	
		13 Uddehoskere ...	371·00	5 do do ...	
		14 Ankapura ...	346·00	2 do Nittur ...	29th June 1933, Nittur Traveller's Bungalow.
		15 Marasettihalli ...	363·00	3 do do ...	
		16 Goravipura ...	247·00	2 do Gubbi ...	
		17 Harenahalli ...	593·18	5 do Yelladabagi.	30th June 1933 at Doddaguri.
Madhugiri.	Koratagere.	1 Sulekere ...	178·00	12 do Koratagere.	26th June 1933 at Negalal.

N.B.—If the sales are not concluded on the same day, they will be continued from the day to day at the same hour. The sale will commence at 2 P.M. on the sale date.

1. The intending bidder shall deposit a sum of Rs. 25 in cash as earnest money before he is permitted to bid, which will be duly returned after the close of the sale, in case if all unsuccessful bidders, while the successful bidder will be required to deposit twenty-five per cent of the purchase money together with the local cess at one anna per rupee, education cess at six pies per rupee and railway cess at three pies per rupee on the full sale amount, less the sum of Rs. 25 already paid and within seven days from the date of intimation of confirmation of the sale, the successful bidder shall pay the balance amount, failing which the deposit shall be forfeited to Government and the right resold at the risk of the first purchaser who will not participate however in gain, but will make good any loss sustained by Government by such resale, the deficit being recoverable from him as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

License to enter the Plantation for grazing will be issued immediately after the confirmation of the sale and full payment of the sale amount.

2. Within seven days from the date of intimation of the confirmation of the sale and after the payment of the full amount, the purchaser shall furnish towards security deposit a sum equivalent to ten per cent of the sale amount and execute an agreement on a stamped paper of the proper value procured at his own cost, failing which, the amount already paid will be forfeited and the bab resold duly cancelling his contract.

3. The purchaser shall not sublet or transfer the harvesting without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests. Where such sanction is accorded, the sub-lessee will be bound by all the terms and conditions of the sale jointly or severally with the original purchaser. The purchaser shall furnish a list of men allowed to enter the plantation to graze the cattle and shall hold himself responsible for breach of any of the Forest rules and for the occurrence of fire in the Plantations, due either to himself or his men which will be dealt with under the provisions of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

4. The purchaser shall not scrape or dig the grass in the Plantations, but shall only graze the cattle. No storage of grass will be allowed in them.

5. Grazing in the Plantations will be allowed only between sunrise and sunset upto the end of the period stipulated, *viz.*, 15th April 1934.

6. The purchaser shall not interfere with any Forest operations, such as planting, sowing and felling that the Department may wish to conduct in the leased area. Should any damage be caused by such operations to the grass crop, he shall not be entitled to any compensation. No grazing will be permitted within plots planted and sown during the last five years where grass may be harvested.

7. That the purchaser shall take every precautions not to cause any damage to the Forest growth standing on the leased areas and should any damage be caused wilfully or inadvertently, he shall pay such compensation as the District Forest Officer may determine. The lessee will maintain the fencing and the trench or other boundary marks in order.

8. In the event of breach of any of the conditions specified in the sale notification or the agreements, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the produce collected, confiscated and a penalty not exceeding Rs. 25 levied and recovered as arrears of land revene by the District Forest Officer and the security deposit or part thereof forfeited.

In case of mere forfeiture of security deposit amount in part or in full, the difference shall be made good immediately by the purchaser, and if not the lease will be cancelled and sold forfeiting all the amount paid already.

Abstract Notification, dated the 29th May 1933.

The attention of the public is hereby invited to the tender notification, dated 29th May 1933, regarding the purchase of exclusive right of collecting Tangadi and Kakke barks in several units of the District for 1933-35, published on pages 648 and 649, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

M. V. NARASIMHAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification, dated the 17th May 1933.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the sale of right of collecting the HONGE LEAVES AND SEEDS in several areas, will be held on several dates as noted in the detailed notification, published on pages 618 and 619, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

Abstract Notification, dated the 17th May 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification pertaining to the lease of grass crop in several Plantations in the District, published on page 620, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

Abstract Notification, dated the 17th May 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification published on pages 645 to 647, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933 *re* the sale of right of collecting daily grazing fees at the following places in the District, to be held by the District Forest Officer, Mysore, or other Officer deputed by him on 20th June 1933, in the District Forest Office, Mysore.

1. Hassanoor (Kolipalya)
2. Mulehole
3. Bandipur
4. Hediyal
5. Allur and Ankanhalli
6. Veeranhosahalli
7. Muthur and Koppa
8. Kakankote

Abstract Notification, dated 5th May 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, published on pages 554 to 556 of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 18th May 1933, about the sale of timber in several Depots in the Mysore District.

	Date of sale.	*Quantity exposed.*
Santhemarahalli	.... 23rd May 1933	... 600 C.ft.
Chamrajnagar	... 26th do	... 5,000 „
Nanjangud	... 27th do	... 1,000 „
Periyapatna	... 29th do	... 1,000 „
Hunsur	... 30th do	... 1,000 „
Mysore Woodyard	... 2nd June 1933	... 5,000 „
Manchegowdanhalli	... 6th do	... 5,000 „
Antharsanthe	... 7th do	... 500 „
Sargur	... 9th do	... 1,000 „
Metikuppe Jungle Depot	... 8th do	.. 2,000 „
Begur	... 5th do	... 500 „ teak together with that of the defaulters timber.

C. A. JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification, dated 22nd May 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to this office detailed notifications, dated 22nd May 1933, regarding the sale of timber in the Hassan Sale Depot and also calling for tenders for collections of rough wood and carting to Koty after rough preparation, Koty preparation and carting of prepared wood to the Hassan Railway Station, published in page 623, Part VI, of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

Notification, dated 1st June 1933.

Tenders are invited for the purchase of the exclusive right of collecting Thangadi (Avaram) bark (Cassia auriculata) and Kakke (Cassia fistula) barks on all Government Unoccupied lands and State Forests from 1st July 1933 to 30th June 1935, in the undermentioned Taluks of the Hassan District so as to reach the District Forest Officer, Hassan District, not later than 12 noon on the 19th June 1933.

N.B.—Tenders may be given Talukwar.

Taluks.

1. Arsikere	4. Arkalgud	7. Manjarabad
2. Belur	5. Belur	
3. Hole-Narsipur	6. Alur	

Remarks.—Includes produce on all Government Unoccupied Lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandyam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals.

N.B.—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

2. Each tender should be superscribed "Tender for the purchase of Tangadi and Kakke Barks" and should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 in currency notes which will be returned in the case of unsuccessful tenderers. Each tenderer should produce a solvency certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides in regard to his solvency.

3. Tenders from defaulters on account of previous leases will not be accepted.

4. The highest tenderer shall ordinarily be the purchaser.

5. The District Forest Officer reserves to himself the right to accept or reject the highest or any other tender without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The names of accepted tenderers will be put up on the Notice Board of the Office of the District Forest Officer, Hassan, and this must be accepted as sufficient intimation of the fact.

7. Within three days of the acceptance of tender, the purchaser shall credit into the Government Treasury, one-quarter of the total sale amount including the deposit of Rs. 200, together with local, railway and other cesses, *on the full lease amount* at the rates prevailing in the District. In default, the deposit already made will be forfeited and the right resold either by auction sale, or inviting tenders. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses shall be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

8. Within three days of the notice of acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer shall execute an agreement at one for each unit with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer, Hassan District, on a stamped paper of the value of ten annas procured at his own cost, and also furnish a security deposit of Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each unit, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit. In default, either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled, all the moneys already paid forfeited to Government and the right resold either by auction sale or inviting tenders, at the defaulter's risk. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. After executing the agreement and furnishing the security, the successful tenderer shall before entering on the collection of the bark, obtain from the District Forest Officer a permit in the prescribed form authorising him to commence the bark collection.

N.B.—(*i*) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

(*ii*) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

9. The balance of the sale amount shall be paid in three equal instalments at intervals of four months as follows:—

1st instalment	on or before	1st November 1933.	
2nd	do	do	1st March 1933.
3rd	do	do	1st July 1934 or the next working day if 1st July 1934 is a general holiday.

10. In default to pay the instalments on the due dates, his contract shall be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law for the time being in force. Interest at 9 per cent per annum, will be charged on all arrears of lease amount permitted to be paid after the due date but before the resales.

11. No concession of any kind will be shown to the contractor for loss on any account.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are:—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests, or the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, as the case may be.

(*d*) The barked wood shall be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests

(*f*) The lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease, and officers of the Revenue and Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(*g*) The lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer in the prescribed form, an account of the number of cart-loads of tangadi and kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(*h*) The lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the bark under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer, on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Forest Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(*i*) Forest forms approved in Government Order No. G. 6119-21—Ft. 178-28-2, dated 20th November 1928, shall be used.

(*ii*) Unused licenses and books remaining with the lessee on 31st July 1935 shall be returned to the District Forest Officer and before the lessee claims the refund

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*j*) They will also be liable under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract. They shall remove out of the limits of the District before the 31st July 1935, all bark collected and stored under the terms of the lease.

(*k*) Neither the lessee or sub-lessee nor his employees shall enter the State Forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*l*) No collection of the bark will be permitted in the State Forests, during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of inamdars,

(*n*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold himself responsible for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

12. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the Chief Conservator of Forests or the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, as the case may be. In the case of mere forfeiture of the security deposit amount, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and in the case of the cancellation of the lease, the right will be resold, the lessee not being entitled to moneys already paid by him or for the subsequent excess realisations by resale, the deficit if any, that may result from such resale being recovered from him as an arrear of land revenue.

C. H. EAGLES,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Notification, dated 9th May 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting and removing the canes in the undermentioned State Forests of the Shimoga Division subject to the exercise of rights of villagers will be sold by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga or any other Officer deputed by him on the dates at the places noted against each.

Sl. No.	Range	Name of Forest	Place and date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
1	Nagar Range ..	Varahi	Hosanagar, 19th June 1933, Monday.	Sub-Division Officer, Sagar.
		Manibyle		
		Kavaledurga		
		Hulikal		
		Kilandur		
		Bisi and Jeni ...		
		Kodachadri		
		Chekra and Mattikai ..		
2	Sagar Range ..	Govardanagiri ..	Nagavalli, 22nd June 1933, Thursday.	Do
		Jog	Jog T. B., 26th June 1933, Monday.	Do
		Kargal		
		Bellanne		
		Iduvani		
3	Agumbe Range	Agumbe	Agumbe, 15th June 1933, Thursday.	District Forest Officer, Shimoga.
		Balehalli		

The collection period shall extend till the end of June 1934.

The successful bidder shall immediately after the sale, pay one-fourth of the sale amount together with Local cess at one anna per rupee, Railway cess at three pies per rupee and Education cess at six pies per rupee on the entire amount of sale. In defaut, the right will be resold at his risk. If the deficit amount be not paid, it will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall pay the balance of the lease amount in full and enter into an agreement on a duly stamped paper of proper value obtained at his own cost, binding himself to the conditions specified hereunder.

The sale is subject to the confirmation by the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests as the case may be.

The lessee shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 for the fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit.

Conditions.

1. Canes should be extracted without injuring the roots of the clump. Tender ones should on no account be extracted.
2. At least three shoots in a clump should be left untouched.
3. The lessee or his agents or servants shall not injure any tree or other forest produce while collecting canes.
4. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for any damaging acts of his agents or servants during the collection of canes.
5. The lessee shall not sublet the contract without permission from the District Forest Officer.

Coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officer when they enter forests of collection.

7. The produce should be removed from the limits of the Forests by the end of June 1933, under cover of passports issued by the Range Officer.
8. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the occurrence of fire in the Forest, if there is sufficient ground for the Department to think that it has been caused by his negligence of by the act of his employees.
9. The lessee shall keep and render accounts every month to the District Forest Officer of the produce collected and removed by him during the month. His account will be liable for the inspection of the Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer or any other Officer deputed by either of them.

In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the lease will be liable to be cancelled and the lessee fined to the extent of Rs. five at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, in addition to forfeiture of the security deposit amount.

Interest will be charged on all belated payments at 9 per cent per annum.

Abstract Notification, dated 19th May 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification, calling for tender for loading fuel in the waggons on the Shimoga-Arasalu Railway published on page 642, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, up to 4 P.M. on the 25th June 1933, for the carting of prepared sandalwood from the following Sandal Koties to the Railway Station at Shimoga and loading the same in the waggons during the year 1933-34.

Name of Koti	Name of Railway Station	Distance to be carted
Sagar Koti	Shimoga Railway Station ...	45 miles
Tirthahalli Koti	Do ...	36 do
Shimoga Koti	Do ...	1 mile

N.B.—(i) The approximate quantity of wood to be carted is 450 tons which may be increased or decreased at the discretion of the District Forest Officer.

(ii) Carting includes weighing out the sandalwood intended for despatch, counting billets and loading them into carts, unloading the wood from carts at the Railway Station.

(iii) In the case of chiltas, it also includes preparation of double gunny bags, filling chiltas in bags and duly stitching them afterwards.

2. Tender should be registered, insured and superscribed as "Tender for the carting of sandalwood from..... .....Koti to Shimoga Railway Station and loading into waggons." The tender should be accompanied by deposit of Rs. 50 in Currency Notes. The rate to be quoted should be per ton.

3. The District Forest Officer will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest tender without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Within fifteen days from the date of intimation of the fact of approval, the successful tenderer shall furnish a security of Rs. 200 including the initial deposit, in clause (2) above in the Shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account, duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, and execute an agreement binding.

Conditions.

(*a*) That he will be ever ready, during the period of contract, to provide the required number of carts for the despatch of sandalwood whenever called upon.

(*b*) That in case of failure on his part to furnish the required number of carts at the required time, the officer in charge of the Koti may make his own arrangements for despatch of the wood making the contractor liable to pay up the extra cost, if any, that may have to be incurred. The contract will also be liable for cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer on account of such default.

(*c*) The loading and unloading of sandalwood will be done so as not to give room for leakage or damage of sandalwood, and that in either case, the contractor will be liable to the department for the loss so sustained.

(*d*) That all the loaded carts will leave the Koti at the same time and move on, in one batch, under the supervision of the departmental subordinates to be deputed to guard the consignment.

(*e*) That the cartmen do not smoke, either in the Koti or while the sandalwood is in transit, and that in case of danger to the sandalwood by fire, the contractor will be liable to the Department for damages.

(*f*) That his coolies and cartmen will submit to the disciplinary measures that may have to be enforced by the Koti Officer during the working hours.

(*g*) That, for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions, the contractor will be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer at his discretion may levy forfeiting the security deposit to Government.

(*h*) The contractor shall agree to the rounding off of payments of bills into annas and rupees as per rules in force.

Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, up to 4 P.M., on the 25th June 1933, for the preparation and assortment of sandalwood into 18 classes in the following Sandal Koties of the Division during the year 1933-34. The approximate quantities to be prepared in each of the Koties are noted against each.

Shimoga Sandal Koti	100 tons
Tirthahalli Sandal Koti	150 ,,
Sagar Sandal Koti	150 ,,

N. B.—The work of preparation and assortment will include weighing out and taking of rough sandalwood, smooth dressing of the same assorting the outturn into 18 classes weighing them and stacking them into lots of five tons or more inside the koti rooms.

The contract will be for 12 months ending 30th June 1934.

2. Tenders should be registered, insured and superscribed as "Tender for the preparation of sandalwood" in the koti. The tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs 50 (rupees fifty) in Currency Notes. The rate to be quoted should be per ton of wood.

3. The District Forest Officer will be at liberty to accept or reject the lowest tender without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Within eight days from the date of intimation of the fact of acceptance, the successful tenderer, shall furnish a security of Rs. 100 (one hundred) including the initial deposit referred to above in the shape of Mysore Government Savings Bank Account, duly pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, and execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper of proper value procured at his cost binding himself to observe the following conditions:—

5. The earnest money of all the unsuccessful tenderers will be duly returned to them in person or at their cost if by post.

Conditions.

(*a*) That the contractor shall be ever ready during the period of contract to employ as many number of coolies who know how to work at sandal so as to turn out the allotted quantity every week, fortnight or month as may be assigned.

(*b*) That in case the contractor fails to employ the number of coolies required to turn out the allotted quantity of prepared wood at any time, the officer-in-charge of the Koti shall make his own arrangements for the preparation of the wood by employing coolies making the contractor liable to pay up the cost even though it may happen to be extra. The contract will also be liable for cancellation at the discretion of the District Forest Officer on account of default.

(*c*) The Koti preparation work will be commenced at 8 A.M., and continued till 6 P.M. every day with an interval of an hour or two from 12 noon.

(*d*) The available tools in the Koti shall be spared for work and in case the number of coolies are more than the number of tools available, the contractor should himself provide the extra tools required. The tools spared from the Government should be returned in tact as otherwise, the cost thereof will be deducted from out of the contractor's dues or from his security deposit amount.

(*e*) That the contractor should be present at the sandal koti at all times the preparation is going on and he shall be solely responsible for all commissions and omissions by his coolies.

(*f*) That the koti preparation will be done in strict conformity with the assortment rules and as per directions of the Officer-in-charge of the Koti. That the rough wood to be given will be lotwar and until such lots once given are all fully worked out and assorted, no further fresh lots will be given out for preparation.

(*g*) That payments will be made to the contractor after the wood is prepared, classified, weighed and put into lots in the koti lot room once every month generally at the close of the month. The assortment includes the putting up into lots of white wood also.

(*h*) That no smoking will be permitted anywhere in the precincts of the Sandal Koti building and that in case of danger to the sandalwood by fire, the contractor will be liable to the Department for damages which will be recoverable as if it were an arrear of land revenue.

(*i*) That the contractor and his coolies will submit to the disciplinary measures that may have to be enforced by the Koti Officer during working hours.

(*j*) That for failure to fulfil all or any of the foregoing conditions, the contractor shall be liable for such fine as the District Forest Officer at his discretion may levy in addition to the forfeiture of the security deposit to Government. Such fine is recoverable as an arrear of Land Revenue.

(*k*) That the contractor shall agree to the rounding of payments of his bill into annas and rupees as per rules.

N.B.—As a rule, higher rates are payable for the superior classes of prepared wood than for chilta classes. Hence, two different rates should be quoted in the tender one for the outturn of superior classes and the other for chips and milva chilta since the object aimed at is that care should be taken by the contractor to see that the koti preparation work is conducted so as not to waste heartwood by conversion into chips.

Abstract Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

The attention of the public is drawn to notification regarding timber lying unclaimed at Konagavalli in Kumsi Sub-Taluk, published on page 643 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information under section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation that the following teak poles measuring 96—1 C.ft. which were found unclaimed at Hunsodu Village, Shimoga Taluk, have been seized and given in the custody of Patel Mallappa. Persons having any claim to the said timber are hereby required to present a Statement of their claims to the undersigned within a month from the date of publication of this notice and establish their claims failing which the timber will lapse to Government under section 42 of the same Regulation

No.	Kind	C.ft.	Remarks
1	Teak poles	52=96'--1"	Given to the custody of Patel Mallappa.

Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, up to 4 P.M., on the 25th June 1933, for collecting, rough dressing and preparing dead sandalwood and ground-hidden roots in all the Ranges

of the district and carting the same to the Koties during the year 1930-31, as detailed in the subjoined table :—

Serial No.	Name of Range		Where to be carted	Remarks
		Tons.		
1	Shimoga town	5	Shimoga Koti	
2	Ayanur Range	30		
3	Shankar „	20		
4	Sacrebyle „	20		
5	Hanagere „	15		
6	Ripponpet „	10		
	Total ...	100		More or less
7	Agumbe Range	135	Tirthahalli Koti	
8	Ripponpet Range	15	Do	
	Total ...	150		
	Sagar Koti.			
	Shikarpur Range	30		
	Sorab „	50		
	Sagar „	40		
	Nagar „	30		
	Total ...	150		

1. The contract will be for twelve months ending with 30th June 1934.

2. Tenders may be submitted either separately for each Range or for any number of Ranges together and should specify the rate per ton offered separately for sandalwood and separately for ground-hidden roots.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) for each Range in currency notes as earnest money, in default of which, the tender will be rejected. Covers containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, duly registered, and insured superscribed "*Tender for the collection and carting of Sandalwood and ground-hidden roots.*"

4. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the District Forest Officer who does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender and to assign any reason whatsoever for rejecting the same.

5. The acceptance of any tender will be duly communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of other tenderers will be returned to them.

6. The successful tenderer shall execute a bond on a proper stamped paper embodying terms enumerated here below within a week of the receipt of the orders and shall deposit in Government Savings Bank a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money for the due fulfilment of the terms of the contract. The deposit referred to here shall also include the earnest money referred to in para 4 *supra*.

Conditions.

(*a*) The collection of dead sandalwood and ground-hidden roots shall be extended to all State Forests, District Forests, Amrut Mahal Kavals, assessed and unassessed Government waste lands and to such of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta and Sarvamanya villages as of which, the holders are not entitled to the sandalwood either by sannads or judicial decrees.

(*b*) With regard to the removal of sandalwood from private holdings, only such of the trees as have been marked by the departmental subordinates shall be removed with the previous written permission of the Range Officer.

(*c*) The collection shall be confined to dead, fallen and decaying sandal trees and to ground-hidden roots. On no account shall green and mature trees be uprooted. Axes should not, as far as possible, be used in the uprootal and rough preparation of sandalwood.

(*d*) The Sandalwood uprooted shall be roughly dressed in the jungle leaving a thin layer of less than half an inch of whitewood and shall be carted to the Koti. Each consignment to the Koti shall be covered by a passport issued by the departmental subordinates.

(e) The contractor shall further bind himself to collect and cart two-thirds of the contracted quantity before the end of December 1930 and the balance by the 30th June 1934.

(f) The successful tenderer shall see that no injury is caused to the State Forests or property situated therein in the course of his operations and in the event of any such occurring through his negligence or of his men, he shall be made liable as per departmental rules.

(g) Should the collection and carting of sandalwood to the Koti be found unsatisfactory, the District Forest Officer will immediately cancel the contract and shall make other arrangements for working out the contracted quantity at the risk of the contractor.

(h) For the breach of any of all or the above conditions, the contractor shall forfeit the earnest money referred to in para 7 *supra* and portion of moneys due to him for collection and carting of Sandalwood made and not disbursed.

(i) Payment of charges shall be made as per procedure now in practice upon the sandalwood and ground-hidden roots received in the Koti and duly weighed out there and for which Koti receipt is produced.

Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information under section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, that the following timber found unclaimed at the places noted below have been seized and given to the custody of the persons noted against them. Persons having any claim to the said timber are hereby required to present a statement of their claims to the undersigned within a month from the date of publication of this notice and establish their claims, failing which, the timber will lapse to Government under section 42 of the said Regulation.

Details of timber seized.

Name of Village and Taluk	Place where timber lying	Kind	Length, Girth, Cft.			In whose custody kept.
Udagani, Shikarpur Taluk.	Government waste, S. No. 216.	Honne logs ...	1	6—9×5—3	12	Mahamed Gouse, Patel, Udagani.
			2	7—8×6—6	19	
			3	6—7×5—3	11	
					3—42Cft.	
Kesavinakatte, Kumsi Sub-Taluk.	Behind the Anjaneya temple.	Green teak poles.	1	8—9×3—4	6—0	Bhadrappa of Kesavinakatte village.
			2	12—0×2—6	5—0	
			3	8—3×2—6	3—1	
			4	11—6×2—9	5—2	
			5	7—10×2—4	2—3	
					5—21—6Cft.	
Madapur, Honnali Taluk.	Government Waste, Mari-Koppalu.	Green teak log.	1	5—0×4—10	7—4	Mallikarjuniya of Madur.
					1—7—4Cft.	
Kumsi Town ...	Back yard of Puttakka, Banajigarapet.	Green teak pieces.	1	2—6×3—3	1·69	Range Officer, Ayanur.
			2	2—6×3—1	1·84	
			3	2—6×3—4	1·74	
			4	2—6×3—1	1·34	
					4 6·011	
Ittigehalli, Shikarpur Taluk.	Land of Phakeera ...	Teak green ...	1	6—1×4—6	8	In the custody of the Depot Forester, Horagoppa.
			2	8—5×2—11	5	
			3	6—8×4—0	7	
	East of Adikarnataka Street.	Do ...	4	12—5×3—0	7	
			5	17—3×2—2	5	
			6	16—7×2—7	7	
			7	18—0×2—3	6	
	Beside the tract to the Forest Eastwards.	Do ...	8	6—10×2—11	4	
			9	8—2×2—5	3	
			10	14—1×2—7	6	
	Near the tract in the North	Do ...	11	7—6×2—2	2	
	Patremarada Hakkalu land.	Do ...	12	5—0×2—4	2	
			13	8—2×2—1	2	
			14	5—5×2—10	3	
			15	8—4×2—5	3	
	Back yard in the West of the village.	Do ...	16	5—8×2—4	2	
			17	19—4×2—11	10	
			18	15—0×2—5	5	
	Near the temple of Thaginahallikere.	Nandi ...	19	13—0×4—3	15	
		Do ...	20	13—8×4—4	16	
		Honne ...	21	7—3×3—7	6	
		Teak ...	22	14—10×8—0	8	
	Near the Siddappa's saw pit.	Do ...	23	17—0×2—10	9	
	Siddappa's saw pit.	Do ...	24	11—9×3—10	11	

Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division up to 2 P.M. on 25th June 1933, for the purchase of the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi (Cassia auriculata) and Kakke (Cassia fistula) barks on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests for a period of two years from 1st July 1933 to 30th June 1935, in the following Taluks of the District either for the whole Taluk or for each Hobli or Firka or any other unit comprised in the Taluk as the case may be:

Remarks:—Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals.

N.B.—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

1. Shimoga Taluk
2. Kumsi Sub-Taluk
3. Thirthahalli Taluk
4. Hosanagar Taluk
5. Sagar Taluk
6. Sorab Taluk
7. Shikarpur Taluk
8. Honnali Taluk
9. Channagiri Taluk.

2. Each Taluk, each hobli, or firka or any other smaller unit in the Taluk must be tendered for separately.

3. Tenders of defaulters on account of previous leases and those not in accordance with Rule (4) will be summarily rejected.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides in the form prescribed by Government, in regard to his solvency and its extent, or an exchange certificate provided in clause 7, and also a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money. Covers containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division and should be duly registered, insured and superscribed "Tender for the lease of collecting Tangadi and Kakke barks."

5. The Name and address of the tenderer must be clearly and fully given.

6. Tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer in the District Forest Office at 2 P.M., on the 25th June 1933 in the presence of such of the tenderers as may be present.

7. The successful tenderer shall deliver his solvency certificate to the officer conducting the sale, and get in exchange if he so desires, a certificate signed by the latter which will be sufficient authority for him to tender for the lease in any one of the remaining Divisions. This exchange certificate shall be delivered to the officer conducting the sale, in cases the party named therein happens to be the successful tenderer, obtaining in lieu thereof, if he wishes, a fresh exchange certificate for his use. The exchange certificate will contain all the particulars found in the Amildar's certificate with the details of purchases made in the sales of other Divisions as well as in the one in which the exchange certificate is sought for. The deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned immediately after the sale.

8. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest tenderer, subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, or the District Forest Officer as the case may be, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other tender, without assigning any reason therefor.

9. Within three days of the receipt of notice of acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer shall credit into the Government Treasury of the taluk concerned one-quarter of the total sale amount including the earnest money already paid together with local, railway and other cesses on the full lease amount at the rates prevailing in the district. In default, the acceptance of the tender will be cancelled, the earnest money forfeited, and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting tenderer who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government thereby, but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such loss shall be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

10. If the sale is not confirmed by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

11. Within fifteen days of the intimation of confirmation of the tender, the successful tenderer shall execute separate agreement at one for each unit with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer of the District concerned on a stamped paper of the value of ten annas procured at his own cost, and also furnish a security deposit of Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each unit for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit. In default, either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled, all the moneys already paid forfeited to Government and the right resold, at the defaulter's risk. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. After executing the agreement and furnishing the security, the successful tenderer shall before

entering, on the collection of the bark, obtain from the District Forest Officer a permit in the prescribed form authorising him to commence the bark collection.

Note.—(1) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer, and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

Note.—(2) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

12. The balance of the sale amount shall be paid in three equal instalments at intervals of four months as follows :—

1st instalment on or before			1st November 1933.
2nd	do	do	1st March 1934.
3rd	do	do	1st July 1934 or the next workingday if 1st July 1934 is a general holiday.

In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract shall be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government, less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law for the time being in force. Interest at 9 per cent per annum will be charged on all arrears of lease amount permitted to be paid after the due date but before the resales.

13. No concession of any kind will be shown to the contractor for loss on any account.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others, without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The barked wood shall be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*f*) The lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease, and officers of the Revenue and Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(*g*) The lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer in the prescribed form an account of the number of cart-loads of Tangadi and Kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(*h*) The lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the bark under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(1) Forest forms approved in Government Order No. G. 6119-21—Ft. 178-28-2, dated 20th November 1928, shall be used.

(2) The unused licenses and books remaining with the lessee on 31st July 1935, shall be returned to the District Forest Officer and before the lessee claims the refund of the security deposit.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the forests in which they may be working, and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*j*) They will also be liable under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract. They shall remove out of the limits of the District before the 31st July 1935, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

(*k*) Neither the lessee nor sub-lessee nor his employees shall enter the State Forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*l*) No collection of the bark will be permitted in the State Forests, during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of Inamdars.

(*n*) The lessee or sub-leesee shall hold himself responsible for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

14. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part, or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the Chief Conservator of Forests. In the case of mere forfeiture of the security deposit amount, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and in the case of the cancellation of the lease, the right will be resold, the lessee not being entitled to moneys already paid by him or for the subsequent excess realisations by resale, the deficit if any, that may result from such resale being recovered from him as an arrear of land revenue.

Abstract Notification, dated 9—13*th May* 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification published on page 584, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 25th May 1933, *re* the sales of the following produce.—

1. Toll Gate at Hanagere ... On 14th June 1933.
2. Grass sales of the Plantations ... From 12th to 14th June 1933.

MOHAMED PIR,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Abstract Notification, dated 27th May 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification of date *re* : inviting tenders for the right of collecting Tangadi and Kakke bark lease of Chennagiri Taluk for 1933-35 so as to reach this office on or before the 10th June 1933, published on pages 643 and 644, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

Abstract Notification, dated 27*th May* 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed timber sale notification on date; *re* : the sale of timber in Tarikere Depot on 22nd June 1933, published on pages 626 and 627, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

No. 2006, *dated* 3*rd June* 1933.

Addenda and Corrigenda to Para 1 of the Tangadi sale notification, dated 27th May 1933, please add "OF CHENNAGIRI TALUK" in Shimoga District after the words "STATE FORESTS" occurring in the last line of para one.

Notification, dated 3*rd June* 1933.

Notice is hereby given under section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation that the following teak poles bearing neither number, nor sold stamp has been seized by the Range Forest Officer, Channagiri and kept in the custody of the Patel, Danavadi, Shimoga Taluk; claimants, if any, may prefer their claim within one month from the publication of this Notification to the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati, failing which, the property will lapse to Government under section 42 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

No.	Kind	Length	Girth	Where found
1	Teak pole.	21 0	4 0	Backyard of Medar Kariyanna of Danavadi
1	Do ..	17 5	3 9	Backyard of Medar Ranganna of Danavadi
2	Teak poles	15 9	2 9	Do do do

H. V RANGASWAMIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DIVISION, CHIKMAGALUR.

Notification, dated 31st May 1933.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division, up to 4 P.M. on Saturday the 24th June 1933 for the purchase of the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi (Cassia auriculata) and Kakke (Cassia fistula) barks on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests from 1st July 1933 to 30th June 1935 in the undermentioned Taluks :—

1. Mudgere Taluk	3. Kadur Taluk
2. Chikmagalur Taluk	4. Koppa Taluk

Remarks.—Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals.

N.B.—Removal of kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation, and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

2. Each Taluk must be tendered separately.

3. Tenders of defaulters on account of previous leases and those not in accordance with Rule (4) will be summarily rejected.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides in the form prescribed by Government, in regard to his solvency and its extent or an exchange certificate as provided for in clause 5, and (2) also a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money which must be in the form of currency notes.

5. The cover containing the tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division, Chikmagalur and should be duly registered and superscribed "Tender for the lease of collecting Thangadi and Kakke barks"

6. Name and address of the tenderer must be clearly given.

7. The successful tenderer shall deliver his solvency certificate to the officer receiving the tender and get in exchange, if he so desires, a certificate signed by the latter which will be sufficient authority for him to tender for the lease of any one of the remaining divisions. This exchange certificate shall be delivered to the officer receiving the tender, in cases the party named therein happens to be the highest tenderer obtaining in lieu thereof, if he wishes, a fresh exchange certificate for his use. The exchange certificate will contain all the particluars found in the Amildar's certificate with the details of purchases made in the sales of other Divisions as well as in the one in which the exchange certificate is sought for.

8. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest tenderer subject to the acceptance of the Chief Conservator of Forests, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other tender, without assigning any reason therefor.

9. The successful tenderer shall within three days of the notice of acceptance of the tender credit into the Government Treasury, one-quarter of the total sale amount including the deposit already made together with local, railway and education cesses, on the full lease amount at the rates prevailing in the District. In default, the deposit already made will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting tenderer who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses shall be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

10. If the tender is not accepted by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

11. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer shall execute seperate agreement at one for each unit with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer of the District concerned on a stamped paper of the value of ten annas procured at his own cost and also furnish a security deposit of Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount whichever is less, for each unit for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit. In default, either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled, all the moneys already paid forfeited to Government and the right resold, at the defaulter's risk. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. After executing the agreement and furnishing the security, the successful tenderer shall before entering on the collection of the bark, obtain from the District Forest Officer a permit in the prescribed form authorising him to commence the bark collection.

Note.—(1) The solvency and the responsibility of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

Note.—(2) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices

12. The balance of the sale amount shall be paid in three equal instalments at intervals of four months as follows :—

1st instalment on or before 1st November 1933.
2nd do do 1st March 1934.
3rd do on the 1st July 1934 or the next working day if 1st July 1934 is a general holiday.

In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract shall be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom, which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law for the time being in force. Interest at 9 per cent per annum will be charged on all arrears of lease amount permitted to be paid after the due date but before the resales.

13. No concession of any kind will be shown to the contractor for loss on any account.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are —

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The barked wood shall be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*f*) The lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction with the area referring to the lease, and Officers of the Revenue and Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(*g*) The lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer in the prescribed form an account of the number of cart-loads of tangadi and kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(*h*) The lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the bark under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(1) Forest forms approved in Government Order No. G. 6119-21—Ft. 178-28-2, dated 20th November 1928, shall be used.

(2) The un-used licenses and books remaining with the lessee, on 31st July 1935, shall be returned to the District Forest Officer and before the lessee claims the refund of the security deposit.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the Forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*j*) They will also be liable under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract. They shall remove out of the limits of the District before the 31st July 1935, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

(*k*) Neither the lessee or sub-lessee, nor his employees, shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*l*) No collection of the bark will be permitted in the State Forests during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of Inamdars.

(*n*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold himself responsible for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

12. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the Chief Conservator of Forests. In the case of mere forfeiture of the security deposit amount, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and in the case of the cancellation of the lease, the right will be resold, the lessee not being entitled to moneys already paid by him or for the subsequent excess realisations by resale, the deficit if any, that may result from such resale being recovered from him as an arrear of land revenue.

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification, dated 24th May 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, dated 23rd May 1933, calling for tenders for the right of collecting and transporting Tangadi and Kakke barks from the several Taluks or Hoblies or Firkas of the Chitaldrug District, during the period 1st July 1933 to 30th June 1935.

Date of opening tenders is 19th June 1933 at 2 P.M.

For further particulars, see pages 627 to 629, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

B. N. IYENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

BANGALORE DIVISION.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification inviting tenders for the restoration of Miseganahalli Minor Tank, Reg. No. 195 of Devanhalli Taluk, published on pages 601 and 602, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 25th May 1933.

2. The last date for receipt of tenders is 12th June 1933 at 2 P.M. Earnest money to be deposited is Rs. 200.

Abstract Notice.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification inviting tenders for the construction of a Maternity Ward at Nelamangala, published on pages 586 to 587, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 25th May 1933.

2. The last date for receipt of tender is 12th June 1933, and earnest money to be deposited is Rs. 100.

Abstract Notice.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification inviting tenders for the restoration of Cheemachanahally Minor Tank Reg. No. 49 of Devanhally Taluk, published on page 630 and 631, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st June 1933.

Last date of receipt of tenders is 19th June 1933, at 2 P.M. Earnest money to be deposited is Rs. 300.

H. F. MARKER,
Executive Engineer.

TUMKUR DIVISION.

Abstract Notification, dated 17th May 1933.

SUBJECT—Opening out a road from Tiptur Town to Keregode Village in Tiptur Taluk.

Attention of the public is drawn to notification calling for tenders for the above work in page 588 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 25th May 1933.

The tenders will be received by the Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division, Tumkur, up to 3 P.M. of 15th June 1933.

An earnest money of Rs. 300 should accompany the tender.

Abstract Notification, dated 17th May 1933.

SUBJECT—Restoration of Marmadu Minor Tank, R. No. 63 of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.

Attention of the public is drawn to notification calling for tenders for the above work in pages 589 and 590 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 25th May 1933.

The tenders will be received by the Executive Engineer, Tumkur Division, Tumkur, up to 3 P.M. of 13th June 1933.

An earnest money of Rs. 100 should accompany the tender.

N. G. KRISHNA IYENGAR,
Executive Engi...